

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Niels RAEDER
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For: LIGHTER WITH INFORMATION CARRIER

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows: